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For: INTEGRAL FRAME MEMBER FOR AN
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RESPONSE TO RESTRICTION REQUIREMENT

Commissioner for Patents
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Dear Sir:

This communication is in response to the Office Action mailed October 2, 2008, setting forth a Restriction Requirement in the above-identified application. In the Office Action, the Examiner required restriction to one of the following inventions under 35 U.S.C. §121:

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I. Group I, claims 1-9, drawn to a frame member.

II. Group II, claims 10-13, drawn to a method of

manufacturing a frame member.

In response, Applicants hereby elect the invention of Group II, corresponding to claims 10-13. Applicants reserve the right to file a divisional application corresponding to the non-elected claims.

In the event any fee is due in connection with the present response, the Examiner is authorized to charge Deposit Account No. 12-1095 therefor.

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